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REMEMBER THE MESSAGE

The effect of Gypsy Smith's visit to Memphis must not be lost because he came several days in advance of the war work campaign. If there is a dollar subscribed for every tear he brought from his audiences there will be no doubt of an over-

He came at a good time. There is much talk and a good deal of conviction on the subject of the end of the war. An on obtains to some extent that the moment hostilities

Mr. Smith impressed his hearers with the fact that when the war is over then begins the full responsibility of war work. It is going to be a diricult problem. The men are on edge, in fine fettle and ready for the fray. They are hitting the line and going through. When the fighting is over then will come the days of relaxation. The great inspiration will no longer be with the men. Their minds have been centered upon a single objective. That attained, their interest will turn to other things. What will those things be? Will it be dissipation or recreation? The soldier can furnish his own dissipation, and the American people can furnish him with recreation. Like other persons, the soldier will take that which is most accessible.

And then there are those who expect to go down to the depot the morning after peace is declared and meet the boys. It may be a shock to some, but it is unfortunately true that at least two years will clapse before they are all home again. These will be the days when they need attention from the various enterprises connected with the national war work campaign.

It it shall be decided to send the draftees that are still being the days when they need attention from the various enterprises connected with the national war work campaign. Their Thirst Is Slaked! It is going to be a difficult problem. The men are on edge, in

If it shall be decided to send the draftees that are still being Their Thirst Is Slaked! entrained to camp to Europe to police the country, in order that those who have been there longest may return, they, too, will need this protecting influence. They will need it even more than those who have been steeled against alluring influences by the application of discipline under fire.

It is a great work for a great cause. Let those who heard the message of Gypsy Smith not fail to give as they felt when he offeet was here that they would, and let them pass his message on to

CONSERVATION OF FOOD

The academicans have been telling us for years that the American people ate too much and wasted too much. It was a common saying that an American family wasted annually enough to feed a family in Europe.

at all times, and without unduly denying ourselves, we will be all the better for moderating our voracity and using what is all times, and without unduly denying ourselves, we will be all the better for moderating our voracity and using what is necessary to health and strength and no more.

The first great problem that confronted primitive man was the question of providing food for the race, and as long as the race lasts this will be the paramount problem.

In our land of blessed abundance, we were not called upon the world that our eyes have been opened and our vision called upon other world that our eyes have been opened and our vision for all. They depend upon other countries to supply the deficiencies of their own.

Every morsel saved where food is plentiful will go to supply the suffering where food is scarce. We have found that we are our brothers are the human race We should prudently conserve our food products. We are our brother's keeper, and our brothers are the human race.

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In our land of blessed abundance, we were not called upon the restrict of the constant of the first are our brother's keeper, and our brothers are the human race. We should consider them, and while nature rewards our industry with a generous increase we should remember that nature i less bountiful to other countries, where life is as highly prized as it is here, and that a part of our surplus will go far toward supplying less fortunate people with a moderate sufficiency. Mr. Hoover has not burt us. He has helped us. He has induced us to learn that a comfortable existence may be had for a much lower price than we have been paying in years gone by.

Automobile drivers should remember that gasoline and winsky will not mix. No one is skillful enough to compound the amalgamation.

The Memphis girls who are going to Washington will hinder as well as help with the work. Everyone will stop to look at them.

For a l'aymin people the Japs are deporting themselves admirably. They are more Christian than some of the Christian

The president said it was a hard word to use, but being essential he hurled "surrender" at the boches, and let it go at

The militant suffragettes will discover that they have no following in Tennessee. Tennessee women are not that sort.

Chilly November's surly blasts bring to mind what was said of old time: "The poor ye have with you always."

Before the new paper clothing can get on the market there is a cry raised about a shortage of paper,

The Germans tried to make a cemetery out of Belgium and a Sahara out of Northern France.

Driving the Huns into Holland is unneighborly. They are unwelcome guests there.

Among the coming events are frost, ripe persimmons and fat 'possums.

Prepare for the ides of March. Then comes the fifth Lib-

Russia remains the great terra incognita.

BELGIUM UNDER THE GERMAN HEEL

nd about the even larger tragedy of

is going, and after the war, if we live in that new world, we shall be of the ld-the new generation will push us

It took a great war to bring us to a realizing sense of the truth of these admonitions, and now that we have learned the lesson, it will be the part of wisdom for us to continue to Hooverize when the war is over. Overeating is bad for the health as well as for the purse. Enough is as good as a feast at all times, and without unduly denying ourselves, we will be all the better for moderating our voracity and using what is necessary to health and strength and no more.

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In our land of blessed abundance, we were not called upon to give thought to economy in the consumption of food. The war has brought us into such intimate relations with the rest of the world that our eyes have been opened and our vision enlarged.

Millions of people live in countries where no amount of industry on their part can produce a sufficient amount of food for the entered was to much even the formals. The proclamation amouncing the execution of the menuscular dataset was that of Louis Severin, the Brussels druggist. The story of the menuscular dataset was that of Louis Severin, the Brussels druggist. The story of the menuscular dataset was that of Louis Severin, the Brussels druggist. The story of the menuscular dataset was to much even for the deed was too much ev

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applied to those who through vain appear have rendered themselves culpable of unlawful deeds. The facts, which speak eloquently, will themselves reture all the loud talk of victory on the sart of our enemies, and of the news atmouncing that the German armies its evacuating the country. That which we hold, we hold well.

"This last deception should serve as a lesson to the Belgians in the future and teach them no longer to place their faith so credulously in news which the following day inevitably reveals itself to be false. All those who, under any administration, are working, who are carning sufficient wages, and who have acquired the inward satisfaction of earning sufficient wages, and who have acquired the hward satisfaction of duty accomplished, must help those who are still deluded to enjoy these same benefits. The experience of the last few weeks proves that the security of the German armies is assured against the best laid plots. But the security of every-day life, which alone can heal the wonds of suffering Belgium, can only be guaranteed to those who, leaving to the soldiers the business of fighting, and, seconding my efforts, are add-

A distriction of the control of the of the clues that led to Miss Cavell's arrest.

While this decisive battle was raging on the front, I have had to protect the rear of the German army against hostille maneuvers. During this time I have been obliged to combat tendencies duenas was the desperate offensive of the allies—to a belief in a prompt re-establishment of the old order of things, and to old and vain hopes. Certain circles which, more than any other, should have wished to aid in maintaining interior peace have incited the minds to resistance, certain persons who had declared themselves ready to co-operate with me in re-establishing prosperity in the country, have once more lent a complaisant ear to insinuation emanating from Havre and from London; faise prophets spreading faise news have won to resistance the insinuation emanating from Havre and from London; faise prophets spreading faise news have won over the unfortunate credulous and have caused them to commit unlawful deeds. By false patriotism and even their own laws would not sustain, there was, as I have said, a procuration of the governor-general, a decree which were the unfortunate credulous and have caused them to commit unlawful deeds. By false patriotism and even the offense of which they had already convicted their frail victim, and pundon the security of the German army. The most rigorous measures have had to be more which treacherously menaced in holding at bay the sly and cowardly speems which treacherously menaced in holding at bay the sly and cowardly speems which treacherously menaced the security of the German army. The most rigorous measures have had to be

When Mr. Gahan arrived at the prison that night Miss Cavell was lying on the narrow cot in her cell; she

502 p.—Twas the last watch of night.
Except what brings the morning quite
When the armed angel, conscience clear.
His task nigh done, leans o'er his spear

Till God relieve him at his post.

So shalt thou keep one and the same countenance always with thanksgiving, both in prosper-ity and in adversity, weighing all things with an equal bal-58 p.-Man considereth the deeds but God weigheth the intentions.

26 p.—Thou must pass thro' fire and water before thou come to the place of refreshing. Occasions of adversity best dis-cover how great virtue or strength each one hath.

Without a combat thou canst not attain unto the crown of patience. Grant me above all shings that can be desired, to rest in Thee and in Thee to leave my heart

and in Thee to leave my heart at peace.

Thou art the true peace of the heart: Thou its only rest; out of Thee all things are hard and restless. In this very peace that is in Thee, the one Chief-est Eternal good, I will sleep and rest. Amen.

61 p.—He pure and free within and

we may sait down and in a firm hand and in a foreign language almost without a fault, wrote such a letter as this, one understands something of her nature. She gives a slimpse of the difficulties she had to overcome to found her school in a peculiarly conservative.

The remembers some of the obsence that tragic conflicts that were going on in the souls of those whom she was directine. She had been a strong disciplinarian, a self-contained nature which she had completely mastered, and in asking those girls, who may not always have understood her, to forgive what they may have considered her neverity, she ends with the touching confession that she loved them more than they knew.

Letter to Her Nurses.

"My Dear Nurses—It is a very said moment for me when I write to make they are a very said and uncomfortable charge for me to keep."

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Mrs. F. O. Harrold and daughter,

Mis. F. O. Harrold and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, were seriously hurt yesterday on High street, when their horse became frightened and ran away. The huge store of Miller Bros. at Germantown burned yesterday, with 12 head of herses, causing a total damage of about \$50,000.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Norman last Ground will be broken for the new

Memphis is given credit of securing the big car works at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Norman last night celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding as hosts to about 50 immediate friends.

Miss Buby Wellington, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Thomas Wellington, was wedded last night at the First Methodist church to Richard B. Terry, of New York city.

Rivermen report that a sandhar is apparently forming at the foot of Washington street, although it is still five or six feet under water.

Pecans are said to be more plentiful in Arkansas this year than was ever known and ferry boats are doing a land office business.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

************************ REFERENDUM.

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To The News Scimitar:

I am a constant reader of The News Scimitar. I like it because of its reliability, safe and sane positions. I am asking just a small amount of your space to say a few words relative to the aireet car situation in Memphis.

I, believe that we should deal with corporations just the same as we would with individual living, breathing beings. If not, why not? Why should we want to deal differently with corporations than we would with individual? If an individual wants to oppress a corporation because the corporation has 'plenty of money' in our judgment they are actuated by the wrong principle.

Can there be any valid reason offered for not granting the street railroad company a 6-cent fare? If so, upon what ground can such a reason be offered? Since the government took over the steam railroads the passenger fares have been increased 150 per cent. Express rates have increased 250 per cent; express rates have increased postal rates have increased from 50 to 100 per cent. These increases have been granted because of increased cost of operation. The cost of operating the steam lines. The fuel the street railroad has increased in proportion to the increased cost of operating the steam lines. The fuel the street car company uses costs more than it did in 1916, or even in 1917; repair materials have increased in the same proportion, and now comes an increase in wages—and their employee really should have had a larger increase—of appromately 50 per cent. Is it right to expect the street car company to stand these increases in the cost of everything and not allow it any relief? The fares in Paducah, Ky, have been increased from 5 to 7 cents; in Caire, III., from 5 to 5 cents; these increases were allowed because the corporations were operating at a loss.

Street railroads are public utilities—and very operating at a loss.

Street railroad both or expect the company to operate at a loss, we think is asking too much. So when the matter we certainly would be giad to be set right certainly would be giad t

on this very important matter. It would be a reflection on the city of Memphis to force the street railroad company into the hands of receivers by not voting for the 8-cent fare, provided the company must have an increase in ompany must have an increase in ares to keep from making an assign-ment—and it seems that they mus-

here it.

Let every voter of the city of Memphis think soberly over this question, and then cast his vote according to that which he thinks would be right as between man and man. Yours truly.

J. II. PENNOCK.

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Reared from girlhood with a torch in one hand and a revolver in the other, Sennett Comedy, "HIS WIFE'S FRIEND."

Fri. and Sat.—MARY PICKFORD in "THE EAGLE'S MATE."

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